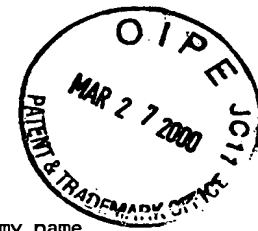


DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION



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As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **STORAGE NETWORK AND METHOD FOR STORAGE NETWORK DEVICE MAPPING**, the specification of which

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Application Serial No. 09/466,993
and was amended on _____.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

The undersigned assignee of the entire interest in application for letters patent filed December 10, 1999 and bearing Serial No. 09/466,993 for **STORAGE NETWORK AND METHOD FOR STORAGE NETWORK DEVICE MAPPING** and having the named inventor Walter A. Hubis, hereby appoints the following attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith; said appointment to be to the exclusion of the inventor(s) and his (their) attorney(s) in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.32: Harold C. Hohbach, Reg. No. 17,757; Aldo J. Test, Reg. No. 18,048; Thomas O. Herbert, Reg. No. 18,612; Donald N. MacIntosh, Reg. No. 20,316; Edward S. Wright, Reg. No. 24,903; David J. Brezner, Reg. No. 24,774; Richard E. Backus, Reg. No. 22,701; James A. Sheridan, Reg. No. 25,435; Robert B. Chickering, Reg. No. 24,286; Richard F. Trecartin, Reg. No. 31,801; Steven F. Caserza, Reg. No. 29,780; Laura L. Kulhanjian, Reg. No. 33,257; Michael A. Kaufman, Reg. No. 32,988; Edward N. Bachand, Reg. No. 37,085; R. Michael Ananian, Reg. No. 35,050; Stephen M. Knauer, Reg. No. 38,208; Robin M. Silva, Reg. No. 38,304; David C. Ashby, Reg. No. 36,432; Maria S. Swiatek, Reg. No. 37,244; Dolly A. Vance, Reg. No. 39,054; Larry Mendenhall, Reg. No. 38,555; Steven M. Freeland, Reg. No. 42,555; William E. Nuttle, Reg. No. 42,943; Joseph Lutz, Reg. No. 43,765; and Brian G. Hart, Reg. No. 44,421; provided that if any one of said attorneys ceases being affiliated with the law firm of Flehr Hohbach Test, Albritton & Herbert, LLP as partner, employee or of counsel, such attorney's appointment as attorney and all powers derived therefrom shall terminate on the date such attorney ceases being so affiliated.

In accordance with 37 CFR 3.73 the assignee hereby certifies that the evidentiary documents with respect to its ownership have been reviewed and that, to the best of assignee's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee seeking to take this action.

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